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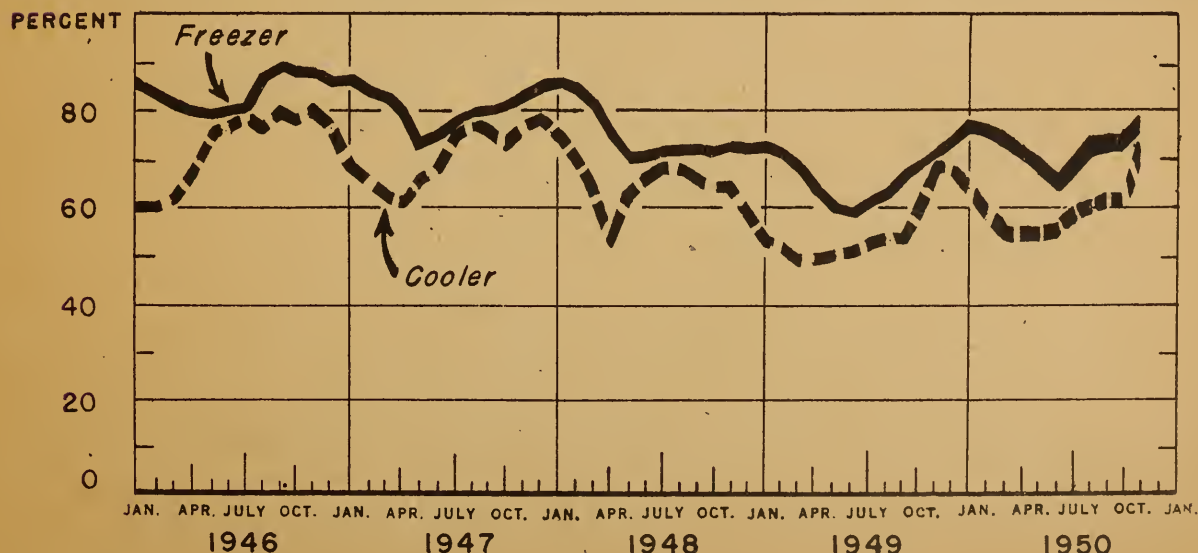
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OCCUPANCY OF PUBLIC-COLD STORAGE WAREHOUSES, 1946-50



COLD STORAGE REPORT

Analysis of space and holdings, October 31, 1950

[Data for this report are collected from public, private, and semiprivate warehouses, apple houses, and meat-packing plants. Commodities in space owned or leased and operated by the armed services are not reported. All October 31 figures are preliminary.]

Storage occupancy

The utilization of public cooler space increased 9 percentage points during October, bringing the October 31 occupancy level to 72 percent. This compares with an average cooler occupancy for this time of year of 71 percent, and marks the first time since January 31, 1948 that the occupancy level for any month was greater than its respective average level. Increased utilization of cooler space was reported in all regions except the East South Central and West South Central areas where a decrease of only 1 percentage point was reported for each region. Occupancy of 85 percent or better was reported in each of the following states--Rhode Island, Connecticut, Indiana, Michigan, Wisconsin, Missouri, and Kansas. Public freezer space also increased during October and by October 31 reached 78 percent, an increase of 4 points. The utilization of public freezer space on October 31 was only 1 point below average, but 8 points above the corresponding month a year ago. The New England region, with a 4 point decrease in freezer occupancy, and the East South Central region which reported the same occupancy level of a month ago were the only areas which did not show an occupancy increase. Cities reporting an occupancy of 85 percent or better for both cooler and freezer space were Buffalo, Detroit, Nashville, and San Jose.

General commodity movement

The total weight of cooler and freezer-held commodities on October 31 exceeded average holdings by more than a half billion pounds. Cooler-held commodities amounted to 3 billion pounds and foodstuffs stored in freezer space totaled 1.9 billion pounds in comparison to respective average stocks of 2.7 and 1.6 billion pounds. The net into-storage movement of approximately 1 billion pounds of cooler commodities during October can mostly be accounted for by increased apple holdings. All other cooler items, with the exception of canned fruits and vegetables and beef, showed net withdrawals during the month. Freezer-held commodities were increased by 76 million pounds during October. Net withdrawals of cream, butter, frozen eggs, and pork were not quite enough to counteract in-movements of other foodstuffs stored in freezers.

Fruits and vegetables

Seasonal increases in storage stocks of apples raised total holdings to 34 million bushels by October 31. This compares with 35 million bushels in store last year and the all-time record high of 36 million bushels in store November 30, 1947. Holdings of pears were down to 2 million bushels which was a little below average for this time of year. However, net withdrawals during October of 2 million bushels were average. Frozen fruits moving into storage during October were six times as great as the average seasonal increase. By the end of the month, a net into-storage movement of 24 million pounds--the average was 4--brought total holdings to 491 million pounds, only 9 million pounds below the all-time record high of 1946. In contrast, last year this time frozen fruits in storage decreased 13 million pounds. A majority of the frozen fruit items reflected net seasonal withdrawals, but countering these were net increases in storage stocks of frozen apples, grapes, peaches, plums and prunes, fruit juices other than orange, and unclassified frozen fruits. Frozen grapes showed the largest net increase--25 million pounds; the greatest decrease, 5 million pounds, was reported in frozen cherry stocks. Frozen vegetables, likewise, increased by greater than average amounts during October. During the month total holdings increased by 23 million pounds which was almost twice the average. The 453 million pounds in store were a record high not only for this time of year but for all times since 1937 when records were first kept. Almost half of the net increase during the month was accounted for by the seasonal increase of lima beans which was at 82 million pounds on October 31 compared with 72 million pounds a month earlier. Broccoli, brussels sprouts, cauliflower, pumpkin and squash, and spinach each showed slight increases during the month. The remaining frozen

vegetable items reflected seasonal net withdrawals. Green peas showed the greatest net reduction with 12 million pounds.

Dairy and poultry

Twice the average net withdrawals of creamery butter during October brought total holdings down to 208 million pounds by the end of the month. This compares with 145 million pounds in store last year and average stocks of 105 million pounds in store on October 31 for the 5-year period ended 1949. American Cheddar cheese stocks were down to 278 million pounds reflecting a net out-of-storage movement of 15 million pounds during October. Current holdings, however, were still greater than any October 31 stocks on record being 92 million pounds above last year's supply and 118 million pounds greater than average. All cheeses in storage amounted to 311 million pounds as compared with 210 million pounds last year. Shell egg stocks were down to 494 thousand cases and were at an all-time low for this time of year. Frozen egg stocks decreased in average amounts during October--29 million pounds--and by the end of the month totaled 104 million pounds. Poultry stocks while increasing by greater than average amounts during October were below the net increase of last year. A net into-storage movement of 77 million pounds brought October 31 holdings to 218 million pounds. Last year's stocks at 212 million pounds reflected a seasonal net increase of 79 million pounds. Greatest increases in poultry holdings were reported for turkeys, fowls, and roasters. Each increased by 34, 22, and 6 million pounds respectively. On October 31, turkeys in storage amounted to 77 million pounds; fowls, 62 million pounds; and roasters, 14 million pounds. In the Middle Atlantic States, turkeys totaled 18 million pounds; storages in the East North Central States held 19 million pounds. On the West Coast, turkey stocks amounted to 16 million pounds and the West North Central area had almost 15 million pounds.

Meats and meat products

National holdings of meats and meat products in storage on October 31 amounted to 405 million pounds as compared with 370 million pounds last year and 410 million pounds on September 30. Current holdings not only exceeded last year's stocks by 35 million pounds but were also greater than average by a like amount. Commodity-wise, holdings of beef were up 14 million pounds over a month earlier to total 95 million pounds which was a little below average for this time of year. Pork stocks decreased to 221 million pounds thereby reflecting a net withdrawal during October of 19 million pounds. Although this was greater than average net withdrawals, nevertheless total stocks were some 39 million pounds greater than average October 31 stocks. Other meat items such as edible offal, sausage, lamb, mutton, etc., increased to 90 million pounds while lard and rendered pork fat declined to 51 million pounds.

Fishery products

Net seasonal increases in fishery products during October raised national holdings to 190 million pounds by the end of the month. Of the total in storage, 166 million pounds were frozen fishery products; cured fish amounted to 24 million pounds. The into-storage movement of 8 million pounds of frozen fishery products compares with 5 million pounds last year and a 6 million pound average.

Storage outlook

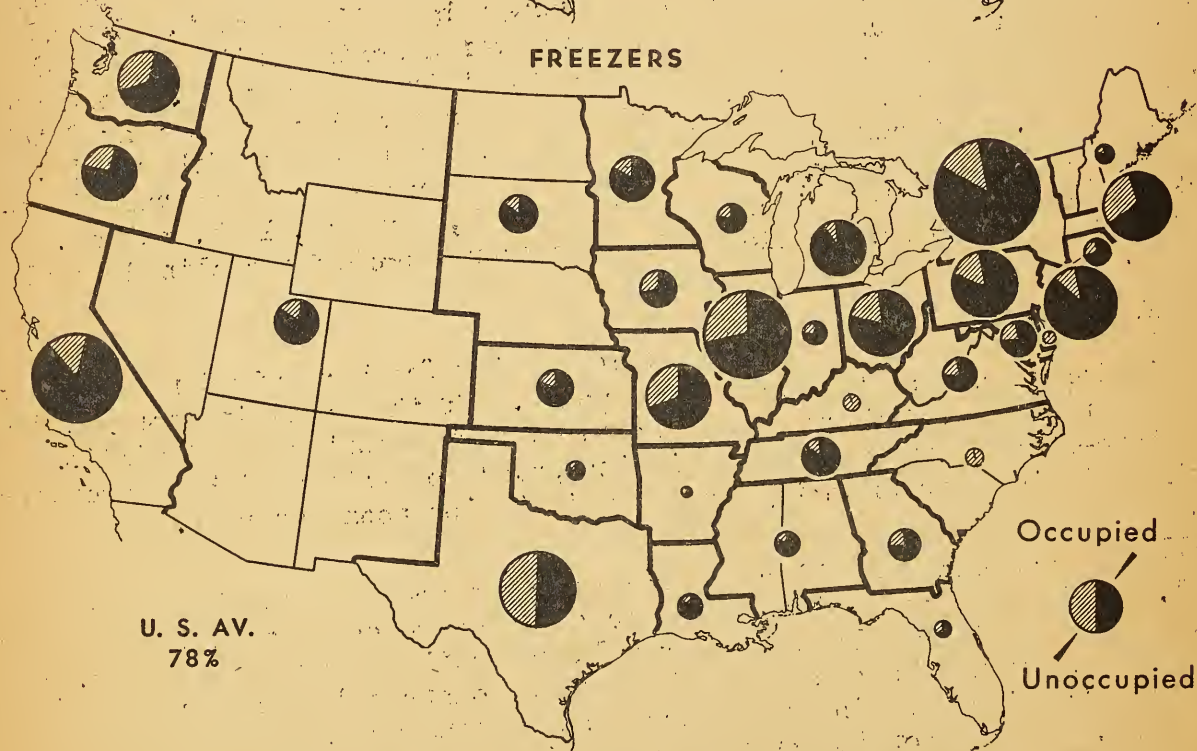
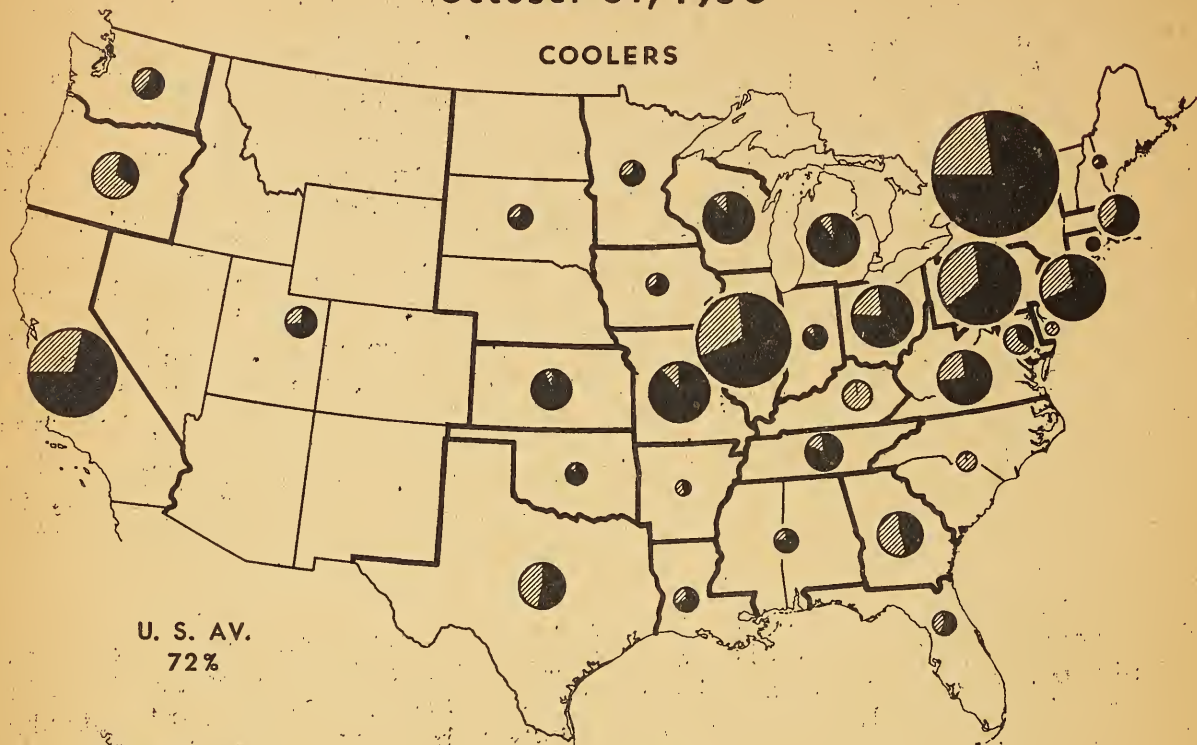
Peak storage occupancy in public general cooler space was undoubtedly reached on October 31. With 72 percent of the net storage area reported occupied and with the expected seasonal withdrawals of cooler held commodities during November, cooler occupancy by the end of this month should be 2 to 3 points below the October 31 level. Although the increase in cooler occupancy during October was greater than normally expected, and did not follow the prevailing 5-year average pattern, there is only one instance on record of an increase in cooler occupancy during November. This occurred in 1947 when cooler held commodities moved contra-seasonally and increased in total weight instead of decreasing. Freezer space utilization likewise increased faster than the 5-year average trend would indicate. Freezer-held commodities are now at record levels for this time of year and net withdrawals are not likely to be significant until December. It is likely therefore that the current occupancy level will be relatively unchanged by November 31.

PUBLIC GENERAL COLD-STORAGE WAREHOUSES

(APPLE HOUSES EXCLUDED)

PERCENTAGE OF SPACE OCCUPIED

October 31, 1950



Areas of circles are in proportion to net piling space reported for the October 1, 1949 biennial space survey

Table 1. — Storage occupancy in public
general cold storage warehouses
(Apple houses excluded)

(Net piling space and percentage of space occupied October 31, 1950)

State or Geographic Region	Net piling space reported 1/		Percentage of space occupied 2/							
	October 31, 1950		Oct. 31 1945-49 av.		Oct. 31, 1949		Sept. 30, 1950		Oct. 31, 1950 3/	
	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer
	"000" cu. ft.		Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.
Maine, N. H. and Vt.....	219	496	58	83	79	93	66	83	63	80
Massachusetts.....	1,987	5,582	65	82	67	79	53	76	71	71
R. I. and Connecticut.....	545	616	72	83	84	80	59	66	85	75
NEW ENGLAND.....	2,751	6,694	62	82	73	80	55	76	73	72
New York.....	20,187	15,043	71	79	75	70	56	77	77	86
New Jersey.....	6,305	8,425	72	88	58	81	49	90	70	90
Pennsylvania.....	9,641	6,734	68	86	63	74	52	80	68	84
MIDDLE ATLANTIC.....	36,133	30,202	69	83	69	74	54	81	73	87
Ohio.....	5,450	6,143	69	78	58	61	74	65	77	80
Indiana.....	1,132	1,768	76	79	79	64	81	75	88	78
Illinois.....	15,558	15,366	68	79	65	65	65	70	70	72
Michigan.....	4,454	3,715	82	83	93	91	82	89	92	92
Wisconsin.....	3,572	1,297	87	85	93	80	89	80	89	80
EAST NORTH CENTRAL.....	30,166	28,289	72	79	71	67	72	72	78	77
Minnesota.....	1,318	2,952	81	83	83	86	66	84	72	84
Iowa.....	475	1,181	98	65	60	37	62	72	70	71
Missouri.....	4,639	6,156	75	73	69	57	66	66	89	69
Dakotas and Nebraska.....	890	2,396	83	88	80	92	82	84	74	84
Kansas.....	2,427	1,990	73	76	78	65	90	78	92	79
WEST NORTH CENTRAL.....	2,742	14,675	75	76	73	68	77	75	85	76
Delaware.....	5/	5/	74	82	5/	5/	5/	5/	5/	5/
Maryland and D. C.....	1,181	2,486	54	85	30	81	40	76	37	77
Virginia and West Va.....	3,568	1,792	73	98	71	78	61	74	75	77
No. and So. Carolina.....	5/	5/	78	72	91	64	73	84	5/	5/
Georgia.....	1,697	1,098	54	67	27	52	50	62	49	76
Florida.....	1,005	1,077	76	68	63	60	68	60	59	69
SOUTH ATLANTIC.....	7,451	6,453	65	77	54	72	57	71	61	75
Kentucky.....	5/	5/	72	86	5/	5/	5/	5/	5/	5/
Tennessee.....	2,533	2,104	79	77	79	77	82	87	84	87
Alabama and Mississippi.....	761	776	74	79	69	94	87	82	76	83
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL.....	3,294	2,880	76	78	77	82	83	86	82	86
Arkansas.....	258	244	60	66	43	42	44	68	45	67
Louisiana.....	1,068	877	80	85	75	69	67	83	69	83
Oklahoma.....	860	704	61	77	71	72	81	87	84	85
Texas.....	5,669	5,734	62	64	51	39	55	50	54	51
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL.....	7,855	7,559	65	69	57	47	60	58	59	59
MOUNTAIN.....	1,485	1,529	68	79	70	70	56	80	71	81
Washington.....	2,416	4,698	69	80	59	69	44	69	59	65
Oregon.....	3,573	4,943	75	75	62	76	45	75	30	75
California.....	12,714	11,097	75	84	69	77	63	72	71	85
PACIFIC.....	18,703	20,738	75	81	67	75	58	72	61	78
UNITED STATES 4/.....	117,586	119,019	71	79	68	70	63	74	72	78

1/ These figures represent space reported to USDA and temperatures at which it was held October 31, 1950.

2/ Percentage for the periods covered are comparable.

3/ Preliminary.

4/ Weighted average of the occupancy for geographic regions based on the corresponding net piling space.

5/ Insufficient returns received from this State.

COLD STORAGE WAREHOUSES OTHER THAN PUBLIC

PERCENTAGE OF SPACE OCCUPIED

October 31, 1950

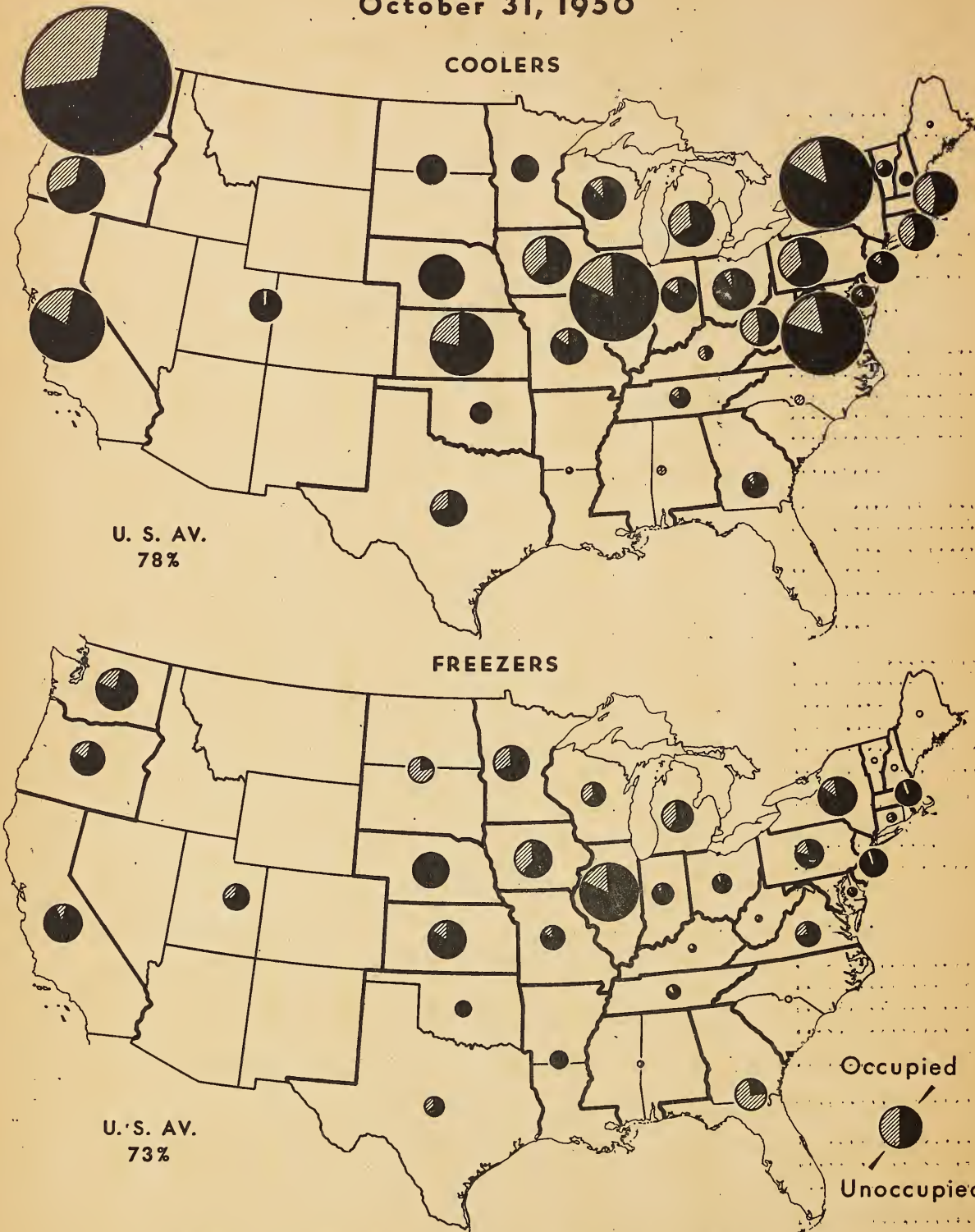


Table 2. — Storage occupancy in private, semiprivate
warehouses and meat-packing establishments
(Apple houses excluded)

(Net piling space and percentabe of space occupied October 31, 1950)

State or Geographic Region	Private and semiprivate warehouses				Meat-packing establishments			
	Net piling space reported ^{1/}		Space occupied		Net piling space reported ^{1/}		Space occupied	
	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer
	"000" cu. ft.	Pct.	Pct.		"000" cu. ft.	Pct.	Pct.	
NEW ENGLAND.....	88	102	74	70	2/	2/	2/	2/
New York.....	1,368	1,152	78	83	1,125	174	83	84
New Jersey.....	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/
Pennsylvania.....	125	27	61	93	442	108	93	87
MIDDLE ATLANTIC.....	1,493	1,152	76	85	1,567	282	86	85
Ohio.....	153	93	94	90	1,589	143	95	100
Indiana.....	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/
Illinois.....	306	73	56	73	2,311	762	84	83
Michigan.....	1,279	1,138	66	54	2/	2/	2/	2/
Wisconsin.....	2,147	226	49	72	583	248	65	54
EAST NORTH CENTRAL.....	3,885	1,530	83	60	4,483	1,153	85	79
Minnesota.....	60	815	100	63	421	581	100	78
Iowa.....	2/	2/	2/	2/	4,847	2,471	62	54
Missouri.....	2/	2/	2/	2/	905	190	87	92
Dakotas and Nebraska.....	430	1,336	96	100	6,605	2,348	100	56
Kansas.....	2/	2/	2/	2/	2,749	869	77	88
WEST NORTH CENTRAL.....	490	2,151	97	86	15,527	6,459	83	63
Del., Md., Va., and W. Va....	2/	2/	2/	2/	324	65	59	100
NC., SC., Ga., and Fla.....	119	1,287	50	18	569	154	99	99
SOUTH ATLANTIC.....	119	1,287	50	18	893	219	85	99
Kentucky and Tennessee.....	2/	2/	2/	2/	351	94	82	91
Alabama and Mississippi.....	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL.....	2/	2/	2/	2/	351	94	82	91
Ark., La., and Oklahoma.....	2/	2/	2/	2/	2,281	372	100	100
Texas.....	234	73	43	12	244	128	100	100
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL.....	234	73	43	12	2,525	500	100	100
Mont., Idaho, Wyo., Colo.....	2/	2/	2/	2/	453	365	100	100
Ariz., Utah, and Nevada.....	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/
MOUNTAIN.....	2/	2/	2/	2/	453	365	100	100
Washington and Oregon.....	399	2,584	30	76	555	333	91	96
California.....	2,353	859	59	91	2,280	256	92	82
PACIFIC.....	2,752	2,443	54	80	2,835	582	92	90
UNITED STATES ^{2/}	9,061	9,738	72	70	28,634	9,661	86	71

^{1/} Figures represent space reported to USDA October 31, 1950 and temperatures at which it was held on that date.

^{2/} Weighted average of the occupancy for geographic regions based on the corresponding net piling space.

^{3/} Insufficient returns received from this State.

Table 3. — Storage occupancy in public general warehouses in selected cities

Cities ^{1/}	Net piling		Space occupied							
	space		Sept. 30, 1949		Oct. 31, 1949		Sept. 30, 1950		Oct. 31, 1950	
	reported ^{2/}									
	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer
	"000" cu. ft.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.
NEW ENGLAND										
Boston.....	1,285	4,800	51	85	59	88	3/	3/	63	73
MID ATLANTIC										
New York.....	12,199	11,949	61	67	60	70	59	78	66	84
Buffalo.....	1,178	2,598	52	40	44	52	79	75	86	90
Rochester.....	4,143	2,004	48	70	85	76	33	78	82	86
Philadelphia....	3,980	4,289	50	71	53	78	56	84	63	83
Pittsburgh.....	1,982	1,763	48	74	54	75	57	86	61	88
E. N. CENTRAL										
Cleveland.....	3,490	3,566	48	56	54	57	76	57	81	76
Cincinnati.....	994	1,273	44	72	52	74	72	89	74	95
Chicago.....	12,488	14,882	57	63	62	65	67	70	67	72
Detroit.....	3,668	3,302	84	84	94	91	82	88	93	91
Milwaukee.....	886	876	86	80	94	81	74	83	76	87
W. N. CENTRAL										
Minneapolis.....	878	1,960	88	88	88	91	64	89	73	89
St. Louis.....	2,226	3,351	64	63	68	63	77	66	81	71
Kansas City.....	2,336	2,160	62	55	62	58	74	77	78	82
SOUTH ATLANTIC										
Baltimore.....	400	1,112	3/	3/	3/	3/	72	81	70	76
Richmond.....	1,203	546	63	76	66	76	68	59	74	65
Norfolk.....	734	981	71	79	76	76	67	87	66	88
E. S. CENTRAL										
Nashville.....	1,400	1,494	92	88	92	87	86	88	87	86
Memphis.....	747	485	3/	3/	45	64	70	88	72	90
W. S. CENTRAL										
New Orleans.....	912	726	73	75	74	73	64	83	67	84
Dallas-Ft. Worth	3,542	4,586	47	34	52	35	54	47	55	46
PACIFIC										
Seattle.....	1,081	1,594	44	83	48	86	49	72	51	69
Tacoma.....	358	1,619	21	63	21	60	17	57	20	53
Portland.....	1,497	3,521	64	76	54	66	44	76	49	73
Los Angeles.....	2,972	4,334	74	81	89	85	72	61	75	84
San Francisco...	3,862	1,552	31	36	49	46	67	34	71	95
San Jose.....	1,265	1,685	86	84	84	87	83	85	86	87
Modesto.....	1,160	1,213	81	81	40	90	59	83	60	81

^{1/} Space shown includes public warehouses within a 25-mile radius of city named.

^{2/} Figures represent space reported to USDA October 31, 1950 and temperatures at which it was held on that date.

^{3/} Insufficient returns received from these cities.

Table 4. — United States refrigerated net piling space capacity October 1, 1949 ^{1/}

State or Geographic Region	Type of warehouse							
	Public general		Private and semiprivate general		Meat-packing plants		Apple houses	
	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer
	("000" cu. ft.)	("000" cu. ft.)	("000" cu. ft.)	("000" cu. ft.)	("000" cu. ft.)	("000" cu. ft.)	("000" cu. ft.)	("000" cu. ft.)
Maine, N. H. and Vt.....	318	615	42	142	2/	2/	890	7
Massachusetts.....	2,624	7,334	255	862	1,652	693	2,440	13
R. I. and Connecticut.....	164	1,170	2/	2/	2/	2/	2,328	5
NEW ENGLAND.....	3,106	9,119	489	1,140	1,970	715	5,658	25
New York.....	24,942	17,164	2,734	2,477	3,813	551	14,099	432
New Jersey.....	7,191	8,783	123	1,402	653	47	1,267	33
Pennsylvania.....	10,459	7,035	725	1,509	1,109	83	3,736	158
MIDDLE ATLANTIC.....	42,592	32,982	3,582	5,388	5,575	681	19,102	623
Ohio.....	6,120	6,737	707	446	2,276	300	1,000	2
Indiana.....	1,123	1,054	415	332	2,050	551	463	-
Illinois.....	13,858	12,036	6,909	5,414	7,873	2,116	2,059	26
Michigan.....	4,221	5,043	1,454	1,504	1,181	379	2,315	45
Wisconsin.....	3,951	1,467	3,010	349	1,337	961	-	-
EAST NORTH CENTRAL.....	29,273	26,337	12,495	8,045	14,717	4,307	5,837	73
Minnesota.....	1,169	3,162	100	875	1,422	2,076	-	-
Iowa.....	899	2,336	469	611	5,018	2,556	-	-
Missouri.....	5,536	6,905	228	150	2,324	1,077	594	7
Dakotas and Nebraska.....	1,133	2,503	629	1,546	6,196	2,548	-	-
Kansas.....	2,574	2,214	645	572	7,065	2,454	139	-
WEST NORTH CENTRAL.....	11,311	17,120	2,071	3,754	22,025	10,711	733	7
Delaware.....	229	284	-	-	2/	2/	2/	2/
Maryland and D. C.....	1,416	2,267	33	75	2/	2/	389	-
Virginia & West Virginia..	4,679	2,034	441	409	719	18	18,066	738
No. & So. Carolina.....	656	577	74	40	2/	2/	2/	2/
Georgia.....	3,160	1,698	184	177	1,073	467	-	-
Florida.....	1,012	558	90	1,707	-	-	-	-
SOUTH ATLANTIC.....	11,152	7,418	822	2,408	2,245	612	18,730	747
Kentucky.....	1,331	519	166	96	359	34	2/	-
Tennessee.....	2,235	2,482	2/	2/	627	325	2/	-
Alabama & Mississippi.....	1,014	1,037	2/	2/	158	26	2/	-
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL.....	4,580	4,038	169	101	1,144	385	307	-
Arkansas.....	447	235	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/
Louisiana.....	1,071	1,042	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/
Oklahoma.....	865	635	2/	2/	1,032	379	2/	2/
Texas.....	3,459	9,363	964	160	1,981	689	2/	2/
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL.....	5,842	11,275	1,085	902	3,040	1,095	26	13
MOUNTAIN.....	1,749	3,090	171	701	1,940	684	369	-
Washington.....	1,730	5,939	760	3,163	1,269	576	51,791	495
Oregon.....	3,514	5,145	477	2,378	-	-	5,996	-
California.....	12,868	12,662	6,276	2,500	2,636	565	4,055	159
PACIFIC.....	18,112	23,746	7,513	8,041	3,905	1,141	61,842	654
UNITED STATES.....	127,717	135,125	28,397	30,480	56,561	20,331	112,604	2,142

^{1/} This indicates the approximate refrigerated storage capacity in the United States and the lowest temperature at which it could be held as reported by the latest biennial survey, October 1, 1949.

^{2/} This state does not have 3 or more warehouses of this classification.

Table 5. — Net changes in storage holdings during October 1/

Cooler Commodities	' Holdings ' ' Oct. 31 '	Net Change during Oct.	' '	Freezer Commodities	' Holdings ' ' Oct. 31 '	Net Change during Oct.	' '
	"000" lbs.	"000" lbs.	Pct.		"000" lbs.	"000" lbs.	Pct.
Apples.....	1,634,496	1,283,088	-	Fruits.....	490,509	24,374	5
Pears.....	119,450	-104,950	-47	Vegetables.....	453,129	22,553	5
Dried & ev. fts..	25,497	-3,300	-11	Cream.....	14,598	-1,709	-10
Can'd. ft. & veg.	3,455	696	25	Cream'y butter.	207,795	-26,316	-11
Nuts & nutmeats..	33,030	-10,029	-23	Eggs.....	104,079	-28,923	-22
Fish 2/.....	27,807	-	-	Poultry.....	217,801	77,449	55
Cheese.....	310,935	-15,972	-5	Beef.....	84,851	12,603	17
Shell eggs.....	22,230	-47,880	-68	Pork.....	82,201	-10,803	-12
Dried eggs.....	105,931	-5,608	-5	Sausage.....	3,926	291	8
Beef.....	9,931	1,023	11	Lamb & mutton..	7,845	1,359	21
Pork.....	139,081	-8,419	-6	Veal.....	9,174	845	10
Sausage.....	7,224	-1,340	-16	Edible offal...	38,761	604	2
Canned meats.....	22,239	-1,170	-5	Fish 2/.....	163,000	4,527	3
Lard & pork fat..	51,449	-6,792	-12	Other.....	26,540	-511	-2
Other.....	482,201	150,130	45				
Total.....	2,994,956	1,229,477	70	Total.....	1,904,209	76,343	4

1/ For a detailed breakdown see the following tables.

2/ Estimated.

TOTAL WEIGHT OF COOLER AND FREEZER COMMODITIES, 1948-50

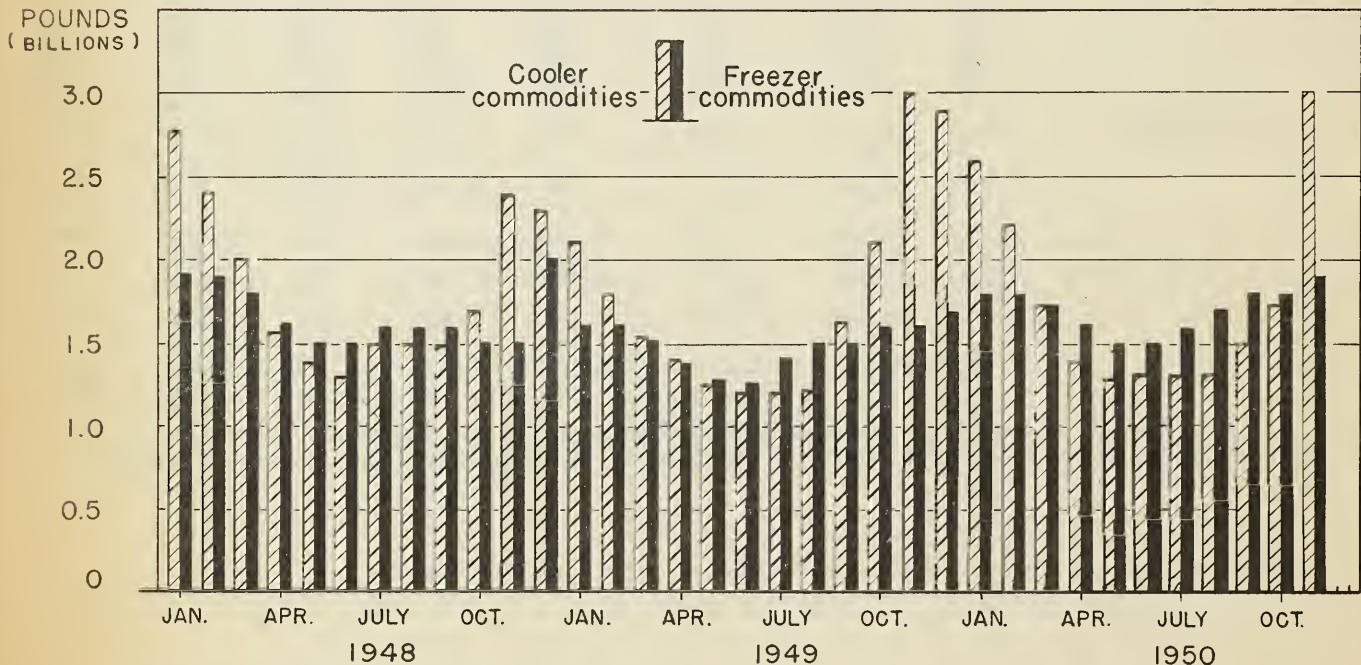


Table 6. — Storage occupancy in apple houses

Regions	Net piling		Space occupied					
	space 1/		Oct. 31, 1948		Oct. 31, 1949		Oct. 31, 1950	
	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer
	"000" cu. ft.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.
New England.....	786	7	46	-	99	-	75	-
Middle Atlantic.....	12,868	675	57	58	48	78	83	94
East North Central...	3,069	40	68	87	89	58	76	83
West North Central..	768	124	43	11	88	52	85	84
South Atlantic.....	15,804	640	43	59	56	67	79	76
East South Central..)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
West South Central..)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mountain.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pacific.....	35,600	107	60	67	70	96	71	65
United States 2/.....	69,280	1,602	56	59	61	75	75	83

1/ These figures represent space reported to USDA and temperatures at which it was held October 31, 1950.

2/ Weighted average of the occupancy for geographic regions based on the corresponding net piling space.

Table 7. — Apple and pear holdings by states

State	Apple holdings				Pear holdings			
	Oct. 31	Oct. 31	Sept. 30	Oct. 31	Oct. 31	Oct. 31	Sept. 30	Oct. 31
	'1945-49 av.'	1949	1950	1950	'1945-49 av.'	1949	1950	1950
- Thousands of bushels -								
Vt., Mass., and Conn.,	1,880	3,082	1,605	3,269	2	2	-	1
New York.....	4,488	7,082	2,578	7,114	77	29	207	57
New Jersey.....	522	608	161	730	60	27	10	40
Pennsylvania.....	1,130	1,440	140	1,067	29	15	4	4
Ohio.....	440	653	56	400	10	13	1	4
Illinois.....	861	996	198	920	25	7	4	3
Michigan.....	652	1,133	212	1,608	10	9	14	6
Missouri.....	479	536	121	409	10	5	1	2
Kansas.....	91	98	43	73	-	-	1	2
Virginia.....	2,429	2,732	991	3,420	4	4	3	4
West Virginia.....	643	817	125	967	-	-	-	-
Washington.....	11,620	12,888	461	11,201	1,047	564	1,621	805
Oregon.....	768	201	7	154	1,357	998	1,124	1,139
California.....	1,413	1,678	350	1,654	543	607	1,472	201
Other States 1/.....	1,169	1,280	273	1,066	43	29	26	21
UNITED STATES.....	28,585	35,224	7,321	34,052	3,217	2,309	4,488	2,389

1/ Holdings for States having significant quantities of apples or pears are given above. Other holdings shown under "Other States".

Table 8. — Fresh fruits and Vegetables

Net changes in stocks during October and comparisons --

Fresh apples: Increased by 27 million bushels; October 1949 increase was 20 million bushels, average October increase was 20 million bushels.

Fresh pears: Decreased by 2 million bushels; October 1949 decrease was 2 million bushels, average October decrease was 2 million bushels.

Stocks of fruits and vegetables	Oct. 31 '1945-49 av.'	Oct. 31 1949	Sept. 30 1950	Oct. 31 1950
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- Thousands -

FRESH APPLES

Apples.....Western standard boxes <u>1/</u>	12,608	631	10,655
Apples.....Western, other containers <u>2/</u>	2,886	313	2,933
Apples.....Eastern, bushel baskets	6,969	2,185	8,048
Apples.....Eastern, other containers <u>2/</u>	12,761	4,192	12,416
Total.....bushels	28,585	35,224	34,052

FRESH PEARS

Pears, Bartletts.....packed boxes	51	30	193	16
Pears, Bartletts.....loose boxes	240	176	2,331	78
Pears, all other varieties.bboxes	2,845	2,081	1,819	2,228
Pears.....bushel baskets	81	22	145	67
Total.....bushels	3,217	2,309	4,488	2,389

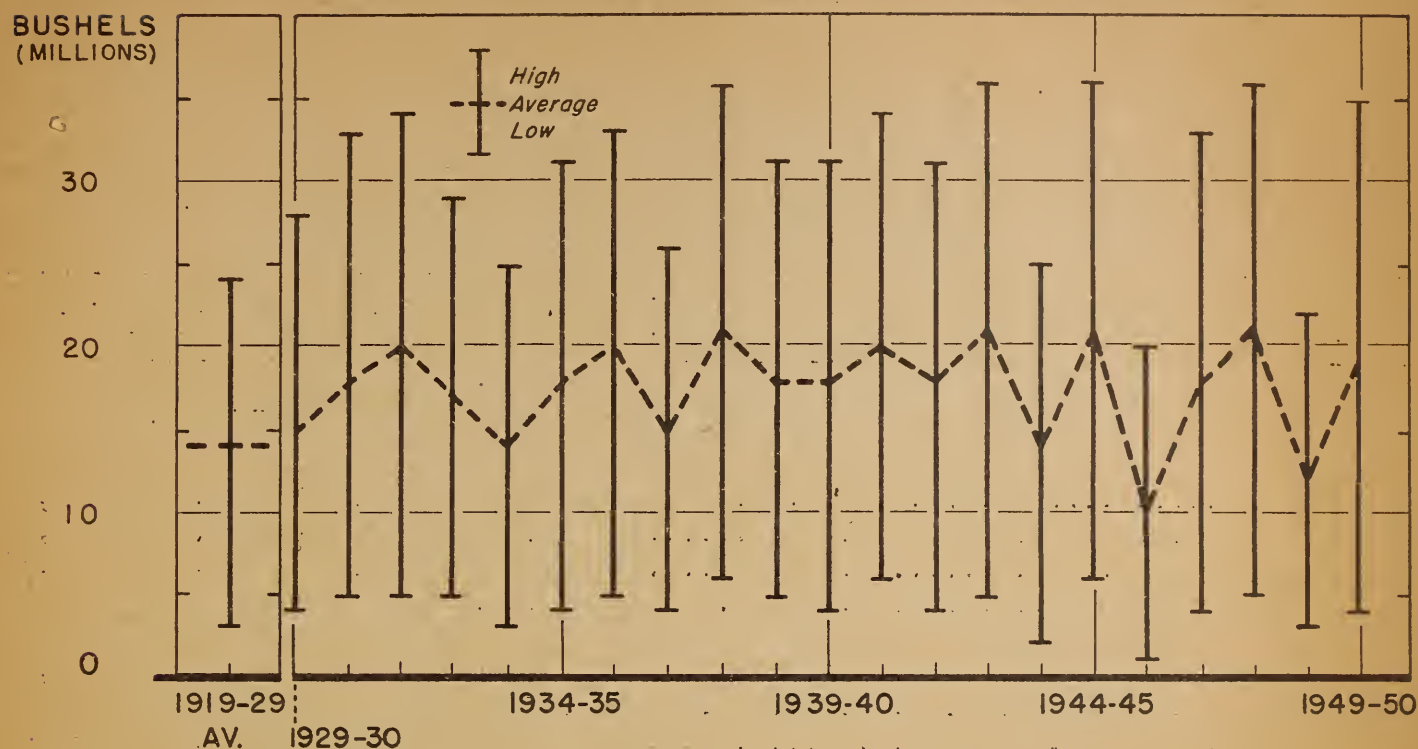
OTHER FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

Other fresh fruits.....pounds	49,505	66,070	29,449	100,354
Dried & evaporated fruits.. "	67,023	106,118	28,797	25,497
Canned fruits & vegetables. "	6,067	3,213	2,759	3,455
Potatoes....."	50,698	44,317	9,268	17,362
Onions....."	63,330	96,633	12,895	47,620
Celery....."		10,008	3,895	8,273
Other fresh vegetables....."	52,241	53,978	11,185	48,219
Nutmeats, peanuts....."		5,496	9,827	9,775
Nutmeats, other nuts....."		21,954	21,321	16,958
Peanuts, in shell....."		635	1,295	708
Other nuts in shell....."		9,808	10,617	5,589

1/ Western apples are those grown in Washington, Oregon, California, Idaho, Nevada, Wyoming, Montana, Utah, Colorado, Arizona, and New Mexico.

2/ Other containers reported in terms of bushels.

FRESH APPLES: AVERAGE END-OF-THE-MONTH STOCKS AND SEASONAL HIGH AND LOW, 1919-50



Seasonal Stocks of Fresh Apples

Season : Sept. 30 : Oct. 31 : Nov. 30 : Dec. 31 : Jan. 31 : Feb. 28 : Mar. 31 : Apr. 30 :

- Thousands of bushels -

1919-29 av.:	3,240	:	18,046	:	24,261	:	22,187	:	17,689	:	12,640	:	7,782	:	3,926	:
1929-30....:	4,900	:	23,991	:	28,139	:	23,902	:	18,102	:	12,778	:	7,787	:	3,895	:
1930-31....:	5,618	:	27,129	:	32,560	:	28,725	:	22,317	:	15,672	:	8,751	:	4,512	:
1931-32....:	6,429	:	32,115	:	34,197	:	30,129	:	23,421	:	16,257	:	9,729	:	5,157	:
1932-33....:	5,922	:	26,481	:	29,433	:	25,539	:	20,109	:	14,244	:	8,682	:	4,701	:
1933-34....:	5,247	:	22,545	:	25,128	:	21,405	:	16,422	:	11,574	:	6,393	:	3,156	:
1934-35....:	12,276	:	31,224	:	30,983	:	26,670	:	20,784	:	13,938	:	7,926	:	3,564	:
1935-36....:	7,530	:	30,826	:	33,054	:	29,058	:	24,675	:	17,928	:	11,307	:	5,949	:
1936-37....:	7,441	:	25,445	:	26,486	:	22,357	:	17,360	:	12,193	:	7,360	:	3,529	:
1937-38....:	7,438	:	31,420	:	36,054	:	32,004	:	26,280	:	19,540	:	12,039	:	5,779	:
1938-39....:	8,679	:	30,270	:	30,815	:	26,566	:	20,973	:	15,402	:	9,192	:	4,719	:
1939-40....:	10,099	:	30,307	:	30,988	:	26,198	:	20,306	:	14,493	:	8,638	:	3,606	:
1940-41....:	8,854	:	31,773	:	33,838	:	28,639	:	23,016	:	17,078	:	10,530	:	5,997	:
1941-42....:	10,302	:	31,325	:	31,235	:	25,778	:	20,162	:	14,238	:	8,207	:	3,521	:
1942-43....:	11,105	:	32,690	:	35,761	:	30,577	:	23,663	:	16,549	:	9,403	:	4,623	:
1943-44....:	7,028	:	25,028	:	25,475	:	20,834	:	15,479	:	10,501	:	5,436	:	2,251	:
1944-45....:	8,437	:	30,858	:	35,616	:	32,686	:	25,377	:	18,670	:	11,573	:	5,527	:
1945-46....:	4,585	:	18,994	:	19,940	:	16,155	:	10,963	:	6,308	:	3,522	:	1,497	:
1946-47....:	10,145	:	31,973	:	33,413	:	27,344	:	19,379	:	12,944	:	7,593	:	3,954	:
1947-48....:	10,435	:	34,322	:	35,790	:	29,807	:	23,339	:	16,567	:	10,244	:	4,896	:
1948-49....:	4,724	:	22,413	:	21,836	:	17,813	:	12,971	:	9,028	:	5,491	:	3,318	:
1949-50....:	14,777	:	35,224	:	33,405	:	25,667	:	19,573	:	12,502	:	7,074	:	3,645	:

Table 10. — Frozen fruits and vegetables ^{1/}

Net changes in stocks during October and comparisons --

Frozen fruits: Increased by 24 million pounds; October 1949 change was a decrease of 13 million pounds; average October change was an increase of 4 million pounds.

Frozen vegetables: Increased by 23 million pounds; October 1949 increase was 19 million pounds; average October increase was 12 million pounds.

Stocks of frozen fruits and vegetables	' Oct. 31 '1945-49 av.'	'Oct. 31 1949	'Sept. 30 1950	'Oct. 31 1950
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- Thousands of pounds -

FROZEN FRUITS

Apples.....	24,971	13,613	11,190	14,792
Apricots.....	21,775	4,814	4,042	3,614
Blackberries.....	18,055	14,274	9,272	8,113
Blueberries.....	14,621	17,840	13,072	13,068
Cherries.....	58,228	56,724	75,323	70,790
Grapes.....	16,527	9,160	2,169	27,348
Peaches.....	45,591	19,692	17,877	19,622
Plums and prunes.....	13,788	8,281	6,643	8,006
Raspberries.....	26,114	33,421	35,915	33,290
Strawberries.....	59,439	61,976	115,535	113,213
Young, Logan, Boysen, etc.....	14,928	15,192	14,436	13,866
Orange juice ^{2/}	^{2/}	25,413	86,886	80,774
Other fruit juices and purees.....	33,294	25,875	41,175	48,826
All other fruits.....	53,138	36,290	32,600	35,187
Total.....	400,469	342,565	466,135	490,509

FROZEN VEGETABLES

Asparagus.....	13,094	8,692	12,599	11,335
Beans, lima.....	45,382	74,068	72,361	82,268
Beans, snap.....	30,153	44,884	60,182	57,911
Broccoli.....	9,282	14,140	14,155	19,162
Brussels sprouts.....	2,994	2,428	7,695	11,043
Cauliflower.....	6,045	6,869	5,191	8,538
Corn, sweet.....	36,996	45,924	48,750	48,559
Peas, green.....	113,297	112,498	144,643	132,671
Pumpkin and squash.....	8,708	8,887	5,236	9,087
Spinach.....	18,100	26,593	21,392	23,252
All other vegetables.....	36,446	42,698	38,372	49,303
Total.....	320,497	387,681	430,576	453,129

^{1/} A report on package sizes for certain frozen fruits and vegetables will be issued November 22, 1950.

^{2/} Orange juice--single strength and concentrated. 5-year average not available because prior to October 1949 this item was included with other fruit juices and purees.

Table 11. — Dairy and poultry products

Net changes in stocks during October and comparisons --

Cream: Decreased by 2 million pounds; October 1949 decrease was 5 million pounds; average October decrease was 9 million pounds.

Butter: Decreased by 26 million pounds; October 1949 decrease was 10 million pounds; average October decrease was 13 million pounds.

Cheese: Decreased by 16 million pounds; October 1949 decrease was 4 million pounds; average October decrease was 16 million pounds.

Shell eggs: Decreased by 1 million cases; October 1949 decrease was .3 million cases; average October decrease was 1.4 million cases.

Frozen eggs: Decreased by 29 million pounds; October 1949 decrease was 25 million pounds; average October decrease was 29 million pounds.

Frozen poultry: Increased by 77 million pounds; October 1949 increase was 79 million pounds; average October increase was 71 million pounds.

Stocks of dairy and poultry products	Unit	Oct. 31 1945-49 av.	Oct. 31 1949	Sept. 30 1950	Oct. 31 1950
CREAM AND MILK					
Thousands -					
Fluid cream.....	lb.	39,415	23,323	14,198	12,443
Plastic cream (75-85% butterfat).....	"	9,358	2,990	2,109	2,155
Condensed milk (bulk).....	"		26,981	18,086	16,376
Evap. and cond. milk (case goods).....	"		53,047	56,685	58,991
BUTTER					
Creamery.....	"	104,918	144,819	234,111	207,795
CHEESE					
American.....	"	159,996	185,839	292,421	277,597
Swiss including block.....	"	2,685	3,917	7,743	7,275
All other varieties.....	"	22,240	19,759	26,743	26,063
Total cheese.....	"	184,921	209,515	326,907	310,935
EGGS					
Shell.....	case	1,851	501	1,558	494
Frozen eggs, total 1/.....	lb.	161,236	96,382	133,002	104,079
Whites.....	"	31,875	30,105	36,753	28,600
Yolks.....	"	25,617	19,062	25,819	20,921
Mixed.....	"	81,928	41,463	64,400	49,497
Unclassified.....	"	21,816	5,752	6,030	5,061
Dried eggs, total.....	"	36,369	70,246	111,539	105,931
Total eggs 1/.....	case	9,788	10,096	16,259	13,862
FROZEN POULTRY					
Broilers.....	lb.	8,124	5,299	3,942	4,988
Fryers.....	"	16,168	12,265	10,643	14,677
Roasters.....	"	27,434	19,154	7,597	13,932
Fowls.....	"	65,531	57,600	39,882	61,595
Turkeys.....	"	60,304	76,464	42,704	77,116
Ducks.....	"	8,326	8,779	13,360	13,525
Miscellaneous.....	"	13,225	5,978	6,916	8,665
Unclassified poultry.....	"	29,677	25,978	15,308	23,303
Total poultry.....	"	228,789	211,517	140,352	217,801

1/ Frozen eggs are converted on the basis of 37.5 pounds to the case and dried eggs on the basis of 10 pounds to the case.

Table 12. -- Dairy and poultry holdings by States October 31, 1950

States	Cream		'Creamery' butter	'American' cheese	'Shell' eggs	'Frozen' eggs	'Total' Poultry
	'Fluid'	'Plastic'					
	'pound	'pound	'pound	'pound	'case	'pound	'pound
- Thousands -							
Massachusetts.....	521	125	1,392	3,128	3	1,697	9,058
Other States.....			354	130	2	606	1,058
NEW ENGLAND.....			1,746	3,258	5	2,303	10,116
New York.....	7,045	1,275	12,152	34,835	36	6,875	32,642
New Jersey.....	477	-	5,312	3,939	34	5,895	9,311
Pennsylvania.....	905	-	2,183	5,127	11	4,291	8,031
MIDDLE ATLANTIC.....			19,647	43,901	81	17,061	49,984
Ohio.....	428	34	7,260	13,865	5	4,389	7,018
Indiana.....	397	-	2,178	2,361	3	3,500	608
Illinois.....	309	34	57,664	24,030	233	15,388	50,195
Michigan.....	171	-	4,208	4,658	5	1,635	4,558
Wisconsin.....	780	-	5,636	90,150	3	559	885
EAST NORTH CENTRAL.....			76,946	135,064	249	25,421	63,264
Minnesota.....	118	-	31,826	2,833	11	2,024	8,755
Iowa.....	21	-	14,961	445	5	4,700	9,550
Missouri.....	173	389	20,039	24,076	6	13,878	8,058
Dakotas.....	-	-	2,904	69	-	33	284
Nebraska.....	124	-	10,888	614	4	5,100	17,006
Kansas.....	-	-	5,915	16,833	4	8,786	1,673
WEST NORTH CENTRAL.....			86,333	44,870	30	34,521	45,326
SOUTH ATLANTIC.....			1,148	8,135	23	4,517	8,261
Kentucky.....			1,241	2,194	1	417	791
Tennessee.....			1,708	13,980	6	1,780	1,199
Ala. and Mississippi.....			305	2,718	1	278	1,030
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL.....			3,254	18,892	8	2,475	3,020
Arkansas and Louisiana.....			1,436	593	3	1,496	582
Oklahoma.....			5,448	199	1	1,483	281
Texas.....	59	19	6,063	12,570	25	8,054	4,268
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL.....			12,947	13,362	29	11,034	5,131
Colorado.....			589	240	8	601	2,310
Other States.....			441	2,055	7	318	4,193
MOUNTAIN.....			1,030	2,295	15	919	6,503
Washington.....			1,100	402	3	931	2,839
Oregon.....			2,060	1,830	3	514	4,419
California.....	127	42	1,584	5,588	48	4,383	18,938
PACIFIC.....			4,744	7,820	54	5,828	26,196
Other States, cream only.....	1,288	237					
UNITED STATES.....	12,443	2,155	207,795	277,597	494	104,079	217,801

1/ Fish holdings not included in these figures.

Commodity	Unit	Oct. 31 1945-49 av.	'Oct. 31 1949	'Sept. 30' 1950	Oct. 31 1950 2/
			-	Thousands -	
Butter, creamery.....	lb.	44,539	86,971	174,696	147,506
American cheese.....	"	20,564	13,072	100,849	92,655
Shell eggs.....	case	136	3	5	4
Frozen eggs.....	lb.	30,680	514	2	2
Dried eggs.....	"	32,632	67,012	105,655	96,546
Poultry.....	"	18,831	1,323	11,287	10,350
Lard and rendered pork fat.....	"	6,659	121	549	531
Dried fruits.....	"	18,401	79,796	-	-
Total.....	"	178,426	248,944	393,263	347,770

2/ Based on actual reports. Estimates on late reports are not included. Current figures will be revised next month.

Table 15. — Meats and meat products

Net changes in stocks during October and comparisons --

Beef: Increased by 14 million pounds; October 1949 increase was 7 million pounds; average October increase was 78 thousand pounds.

Pork: Decreased by 19 million pounds; October 1949 change was an increase of 5 million pounds; average October change was a decrease of 7 million pounds.

Other meats: Increased by 1 million pounds; October 1949 change was a decrease of 3 million pounds; average October change was an increase of 3 million pounds.

Lard: Decreased by 7 million pounds; October 1949 decrease was 10 million pounds; average October decrease was 16 million pounds

Stocks of meats and meat products	Oct. 31 '1945-49 av.'	Oct. 31 1949	Sept. 30 1950	Oct. 31 1950
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- Thousands of pounds -

BEEF

Frozen.....	88,889	60,909	71,105	83,064
In cure, cured, and smoked.....	10,189	8,812	10,051	11,718
Total.....	99,078	69,721	81,156	94,782

PORK

Frozen.....	57,685	58,048	82,272	71,633
Dry salt, in cure and cured.....	14,995	18,384	31,955	19,837
Other in cure, cured, and smoked.....	109,673	133,255	126,317	129,812
Total.....	182,353	209,687	240,544	221,282

OTHER MEATS AND MEAT PRODUCTS

Sausage and sausage room products.....	12,787	9,940	12,199	11,150
Frozen lamb and mutton.....	12,016	8,222	6,486	7,845
Frozen veal.....	9,139	9,042	8,329	9,174
Canned meats and meat products.....	16,938	16,154	23,409	22,239
All edible offal 1/.....	37,265	47,642	38,157	38,761
Total other meats and meat products.....	88,145	91,000	88,580	89,169

Total all meats 1/.....	369,576	370,408	410,280	405,233
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LARD AND RENDERED PORK FAT 2/

Lard.....	53,508	36,496	56,174	49,769
Rendered pork fat.....	2,034	1,824	2,067	1,680
Total.....	55,542	38,320	58,241	51,449

HIDES AND PELTS.....	62,704	62,642	64,763	62,928
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1/ Current figures not entirely comparable with 5-yr. average.

2/ These figures represent refrigerated storage stocks only. On September 30, 1950, there were 82,140,000 pounds of lard and rendered pork fat in dry and cold storage as reported by Bureau of Census.

Table 16. — Fishery products 1/

Species	Oct. 31	Oct. 31	Sept. 30	Oct. 31
	'1945-49 av.	'1949	'1950	'1950
- Thousands of pounds -				
<u>Salt-water fish: frozen</u>				
Bait and animal food.....	1,892	2,068	2,922	2,664
Bluefish.....	243	390	316	627
Butterfish.....	569	558	365	461
Cod, nad'k, hake, pollock, whole.....	1,710	1,116	883	1,122
Croakers.....	689	686	451	387
Eels.....	233	213	168	279
Filletts (miscellaneous).....	27,706	29,702	37,260	38,277
Flounders (inc. filletts).....	3,601	4,173	4,227	4,592
Halibut.....	17,603	16,765	22,834	22,145
Herring, sea.....	1,172	962	1,011	1,019
Mackerel (Boston)(inc. filletts).....	5,081	1,268	2,067	3,009
Mullet.....	633	388	269	265
Sablefish (black cod).....	5,186	6,021	2,665	2,673
Salmon (all species).....	15,788	13,601	11,654	13,803
Scup (porgies).....	925	530	985	868
Sea trout (weakfish, gray & sp.).....	747	516	282	304
Shad and shad roe.....	484	256	517	437
Smelts (sea).....	1,238	1,678	989	1,011
Swordfish.....	1,455	1,124	1,912	2,837
Whiting (inc. filletts).....	17,711	27,675	14,108	11,642
Unclassified salt-water fish.....	14,078	16,168	17,639	18,338
<u>Fresh-water fish: frozen</u>				
Bait and animal food.....	406	720	253	139
Blue pike & sauger (inc. filletts).....	445	643	189	341
Catfish and bullheads.....	301	710	1,561	1,316
Chubs.....	708	797	1,116	1,054
Lake herring & cisco (inc. filletts).....	1,189	384	371	317
Lake trout.....	652	795	903	1,131
Pickrel, jacks or yellow jack.....	158	173	88	121
Sturgeon and spoonbill cat.....	349	436	299	309
Suckers.....	23	27	10	10
Tullibee.....	208	166	218	197
Yellow perch (inc. filletts).....	492	812	492	579
Yellow pike (or wall-eye)(inc. filletts).....	268	326	191	307
Whitefish.....	1,725	2,506	2,276	2,143
Unclassified fresh-water fish.....	1,308	1,151	1,695	1,817
<u>Shellfish: frozen</u>				
Lobster tails (spiny lobster).....	582	951	1,710	1,434
Scallops.....	2,121	2,198	2,365	2,833
Shrimp.....	12,609	12,259	17,802	22,306
Squid.....	2,030	3,535	1,166	989
Unclassified shellfish.....	2,118	2,230	2,244	2,337
Frozen fish, total.....	146,436	156,077	158,473	166,440
Cured fish, total.....	24,325	25,565	27,808	23,812
Total, all fish.....	170,761	181,642	186,281	190,252

1/ Data furnished by the Department of the Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service, which publishes a report giving detailed information, species, and geographical sections.

Table 17. — Cold storage holdings October 31, 1950, by geographic regions

Commodity	Unit	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic	East South Central	South Mountain	Pacific	Total
- Thousands -										
FROZEN FRUITS										
Apples.....	Pounds	348	5,823	3,052	1,709	1,983	363	345	362	807
Apricots.....	"	114	602	733	407	48	7	192	43	1,468
Blackberries.....	"	53	1,165	1,367	554	241	786	950	39	2,958
Blueberries.....	"	2,343	4,415	4,600	413	274	59	129	70	765
Cherries.....	"	925	30,828	27,317	4,993	926	650	805	1,087	3,259
Grapes.....	"	47	15,090	9,253	424	-	2	86	48	2,398
Peaches.....	"	545	5,533	5,391	1,451	1,715	405	667	447	3,468
Plums and prunes.....	"	132	1,457	1,776	167	110	184	23	70	4,087
Raspberries.....	"	1,526	8,395	7,618	2,173	680	247	307	180	12,164
Strawberries.....	"	6,847	23,751	20,532	9,368	6,391	6,888	5,860	888	32,688
Young, Logan, Boysen, etc.....	"	125	746	2,589	833	52	99	319	199	8,904
Orange juice 1/.....	"	4,366	20,516	8,050	3,443	19,911	3,232	2,576	474	18,206
Other fruit juices and purees	"	2,156	23,955	7,464	2,756	5,228	1,066	2,666	213	3,322
All other fruits.....	"	9,717	11,831	4,186	1,355	805	1,131	853	276	5,033
FROZEN VEGETABLES										
Asparagus.....	Pounds	487	3,962	1,764	834	661	203	352	261	2,811
Beans, lima.....	"	1,477	22,666	9,401	9,343	7,529	2,158	1,029	2,880	25,785
Beans, snap.....	"	1,582	22,530	5,302	3,905	3,222	228	670	864	19,608
Broccoli.....	"	632	5,302	1,869	658	1,046	310	405	232	8,708
Brussels sprouts.....	"	383	1,946	909	1,076	327	101	320	135	5,846
Cauliflower.....	"	419	2,616	967	363	457	74	195	117	3,330
Corn, sweet.....	"	1,617	17,261	5,569	4,919	2,873	447	859	3,411	11,603
Peas, green.....	"	10,619	37,197	14,805	11,381	3,311	1,333	1,559	3,463	49,003
Pumpkin and squash.....	"	409	2,999	1,008	233	147	23	61	141	4,066
Spinach.....	"	952	8,886	3,223	1,106	1,607	295	608	397	6,178
All other vegetables.....	"	2,132	17,577	7,503	6,472	3,438	2,002	1,269	1,686	7,224
FRUITS AND VEGETABLES										
Fresh apples.....	Bushels	3,537	8,913	3,230	537	4,649	98	47	31	13,010
Fresh pears.....	"	9	102	13	5	6	1	8	1	2,244
Other fresh fruits.....	Pounds	26	2,526	2,483	1,005	1,223	627	707	11	91,746
Dried and evaporated fruits.....	"	761	11,501	4,998	1,285	1,951	764	889	68	3,280
Canned fruits and vegetables.....	"	48	888	2,011	182	203	94	-	3	26
Potatoes.....	"	206	1,380	1,071	2,081	486	319	3,731	403	7,685
Onions.....	"	48	37,858	2,025	291	104	11	586	700	5,997
Celery.....	"	3	6,295	1,338	49	192	19	-	9	368
Other fresh vegetables.....	"	300	9,457	29,001	826	442	1,888	924	23	5,358
Peanut meats.....	"	62	816	3,608	470	2,428	834	642	15	9,775
Other nutmeats.....	"	651	6,839	4,131	958	241	223	550	133	3,232
Peanuts, in shell.....	"	30	2	45	22	167	29	128	-	285
Other nuts in shell.....	"	156	2,688	634	757	158	95	357	12	732
1/ Concentrated and single strength.										5,589

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Table 17. — Cold storage holdings October 31, 1950, by geographic regions -- Continued

Commodity	Unit	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain Pacific	Total
- Thousands -										
DAIRY PRODUCTS AND EGGS										
Cream (not including plastic). Pounds		629	8,427	2,085	436	294	303	104	25	12,443
Cream, plastic.....	"	240	1,275	68	389	97	-	24	20	2,155
Butter, creamery.....	"	1,746	19,647	76,946	86,333	1,148	3,254	12,947	1,030	207,795
Cheese, American cheddar.....	"	3,258	43,901	135,064	44,870	8,135	18,892	13,362	2,295	277,597
Cheese, Swiss incl. block.....	"	62	1,092	4,933	458	143	3	253	20	7,275
Cheese, all other varieties.....	"	695	9,263	7,131	521	837	208	1,668	139	26,063
Eggs, shell.....	Case	5	81	249	30	23	8	29	15	394
Eggs, frozen (total).....	Pounds	2,303	17,061	25,421	34,521	4,517	2,475	11,034	919	104,079
Eggs, dried (total).....	"	42	3,202	36,312	52,993	39	39	13,173	2	105,931
FROZEN POULTRY										
Broilers.....	Pounds	300	895	1,353	1,394	253	126	321	44	4,988
Fryers.....	"	682	1,885	3,068	4,025	1,530	502	515	656	14,677
Roasters.....	"	1,178	2,885	4,114	4,589	77	5	221	453	15,932
Poultry.....	"	3,051	9,649	22,295	19,562	867	558	1,487	666	61,595
Turkeys.....	"	3,741	18,130	19,022	12,521	3,509	495	1,414	2,415	77,116
Ducks.....	"	717	10,118	1,416	249	434	3	150	15	15,525
Miscellaneous.....	"	388	1,680	3,040	2,077	536	580	18	48	8,665
Unclassified.....	"	59	4,742	8,956	909	1,085	751	1,005	2,206	23,303
MEATS AND LARD										
Beef, frozen.....	Pounds	3,146	11,957	24,657	16,356	2,689	2,795	5,630	1,326	83,064
Veal, frozen.....	"	393	2,350	1,984	1,100	339	279	1,124	45	9,174
Pork, frozen.....	"	1,759	7,990	22,522	25,085	2,579	2,231	3,106	971	71,533
Lamb and mutton, frozen.....	"	230	2,152	1,928	1,511	59	32	734	124	7,845
Beef, in cure, cured & smoked.	"	70	2,200	4,488	3,676	216	13	247	30	11,718
Dry salt pork, in cure & cured	"	144	897	7,017	8,049	1,357	405	1,254	172	19,837
All other pork, in cure	"									
cured and smoked..	"	2,614	9,229	39,573	57,629	5,003	1,457	5,472	2,008	129,812
All edible offal.....	"	526	5,340	12,397	14,368	1,420	896	1,356	638	38,761
Lard.....	"	171	2,812	33,942	9,175	880	348	711	367	49,769
Rendered pork fat.....	"	-	91	383	983	51	3	72	6	1,680
Sausage room products.....	"	48	2,293	3,763	2,617	475	269	281	239	11,150
Canned meats and meat products	"	514	2,869	7,020	9,437	360	69	310	226	22,239
Hides and pelts.....	"	5	2,739	22,758	29,381	1,239	491	3,230	1,277	62,928
Fish.....	"	38,576	29,138	23,426	8,233	7,717	9,000	6,126	1,048	166,440

1/ Includes fish in Alaska.

